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DHA-CONTAINING NUTRITIONAL COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR THEIR PRODUCTION

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. Fees have been calculated as shown below:

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		Claims	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra	Rate		
		Remaining After Amendment			Large Entity	Small Entity	Amount
Number of Claims in Excess of 20		36	24	12	\$ 18.00	\$ 9.00	\$108.00
Independent Claims in Excess of 3		7	5	2	\$ 80.00	\$ 40.00	\$ 80.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims			\$ 270.00	\$ 135.00	\$135.00		
Extension Fee: a) One Month b) Two Months c) Three Months d) Four Months e) Five Months					\$ 110.00 \$ 390.00 \$ 890.00 \$1390.00 \$1890.00	\$ 55.00 \$ 195.00 \$ 445.00 \$ 695.00 \$ 945.00	\$445.00
Other:							\$ 0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE							\$768.00

	No additional fee is required.
	A check in the amount of \$ is attached.
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	Small Entity Status Claim: is attached. is of record in this application.

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AMENDMENT Petition for Extension of Time

09/20/2001 SZEWDIE1 00000043 501640 Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir:

The following amendments are submitted in response to the Office Action dated March 28, 2001. Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for responding to the Office Action, extending the time for response up to and including September 28, 2001. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$768.00, to cover the three-month extension of time, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3), multiple dependent claim fee and excess claims fee, to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-1640. Applicants believe that no other fees are required for consideration of this Amendment. However, if any additional fees are required in conjunction with this submission, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit such fees to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-1640.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claims 10 and 15-18 with the following claims, and add new claims 25-31 provided in a clean format in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121. A marked-up version of the claims, showing the changes Applicants have made are in Appendix A.

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A method for preparing a DHA-containing particulate material comprising 10. lysing DHA-containing microbial cells; extracting lysed cells with solvent; separating a polar

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